



Nettie Dee Harper

November 13, 1924 - April 1, 2017

Nettie Dee Harper, 92 of Thorndale, passed away Saturday, April 1, 2017 in Georgetown. Funeral services will be at 1:00 pm, Wednesday, April 5, 2017 at Phillips & Luckey Funeral Home in Rockdale, Texas with burial following at the Taylor City Cemetery in Taylor, Texas. Visitation will be for 5:00 pm to 7:00 pm, Tuesday, April 4, 2017 at the funeral home.

Nettie Dee was born November 13, 1924 in Thorndale, Texas to Thomas Walter Beard, Sr. and Norine (Cowen) Beard. Following graduation from high school, she attended business school in Austin and met her future husband, Charles Harper. After her marriage and the birth of their first son, she moved to Tennessee where she raised a family of three and supported her husband in his career as manager of a Sterchi Brothers furniture store. She returned to Texas in 1976 and worked as a teacher's aide and librarian in the Thorndale school system. Nettie Dee was a member of the Pleasant Retreat United Methodist Church in Thorndale and was involved in various activities and groups at the church. She taught Sunday School at the church and also served as the church librarian.

She is preceded in death by her husband, Charles Torrey Harper Sr.; infant son, Samuel Elliott Harper; daughter, Melissa E. Stolte; parents, Thomas Walter Sr. and Norine Beard; and brother, Thomas Walter Beard Jr.

Nettie Dee is survived by her sons, Charles T. Harper Jr. and wife Irene of Georgetown, Texas and Stephen D. Harper of Ft. Worth, Texas; grandchildren, Sheila Michelle Harper of Coupland, Texas, Jessica Marie Jezisek and husband Adam of Granger, Texas, Megan Renee Stolte of Thorndale, Texas, and Shelby Lynn Stolte of College Station, Texas; great grandchild, Kaden Combs (Jezisek); and nephew, Thomas W. Beard III of San Antonio, Texas

In lieu of flowers the family asks that you make a donation in Nettie Dee's name to the Thorndale High School Scholarship Fund or to the charity of your choosing.

Cemetery Details

Taylor City Cemetery

1101 E. 4th Street
Taylor, TX 76574

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 4. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Phillips & Luckey Funeral Home - Rockdale
1041 West Highway 79
Rockdale, TX 76567
(512) 446-5454
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<https://www.phillipsandluckey.com/>

Chapel Service

APR 5. 1:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

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“ *Netty Dee was one of a kind - she was loving with all who came around her. I am so lucky to have known her. A true blessing. To her family, may all your days be filled with the joy and happiness that she showed everyone. Hold the memories close to your heart. She was a true blessing.*

Teresa Bishop - April 18, 2017 at 01:27 PM

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“ *God bless you all during this difficult time! We are praying for the peace that only God can give you ! Love to you all !*

Joe and Rita Huser

Joe and Rita Huser - April 06, 2017 at 06:27 PM



“ *Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Nettie Dee Harper.*



April 04, 2017 at 11:18 AM



“ *Sweet Tenderness was purchased for the family of Nettie Dee Harper.*



April 04, 2017 at 01:25 AM

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“ *Your Mother's friends in Tennessee are saddened by her passing. The many church functions, bridge games and shopping trips to Nashville provided us such joy and wonderful memories. Our thoughts and prayers are with the family.*

*Clifford and Jane Byford
Murfreesboro TN*

Joanne Byford Venable - April 03, 2017 at 06:40 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Nettie Dee Harper.*



April 03, 2017 at 11:25 AM